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CATHY A. CATTERSON, CLERK U.S. COURT OF APPEALS

FOR THE NINTH CIRCUIT

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff - Appellee,

v.

JESUS LOZANO-OREGON,

Defendant - Appellant.

No. 04-30495

D.C. No. CR-04-05240-003-FDB

MEMORANDUM*

Appeal from the United States District Court for the Western District of Washington Franklin D. Burgess, District Judge, Presiding

Submitted January 9, 2006**

Before: HUG, O'SCANNLAIN, and SILVERMAN, Circuit Judges.

Jesus Lozano-Oregon appeals from his guilty-plea conviction and 180month sentence for distribution of methamphetamine and carrying a firearm in

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^{**} This panel unanimously finds this case suitable for decision without oral argument. *See* Fed. R. App. P. 34(a)(2).

relation to a drug trafficking crime, in violation of 18 U.S.C. § 924(c)(1)(A)(i) and 21 U.S.C. §§ 841(a)(1), (b)(1)(A).

Pursuant to *Anders v. California*, 386 U.S. 738 (1967), counsel for Lozano-Oregon has filed a brief stating there are no grounds for relief, and a motion to withdraw as counsel of record.

Our examination of the brief and independent review of the record pursuant to *Penson v. Ohio*, 488 U.S. 75, 83 (1988), disclose no grounds for relief.

Counsel's motion to withdraw is **GRANTED**, and the district court's judgment is **AFFIRMED.**¹

¹ All pending motions are ordered filed and denied.